

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A method of displaying an electronic mail, comprising:  
receiving an electric mail including a sentence as a conversion object  
sentence in a reception mode; automatically converts each of character  
string into a pictograph in said reception mode to produce a pictograph  
5 mixed sentence when said pictograph corresponding to said character  
string is defined: and displaying said pictograph mixed sentence.
2. The method according to claim 1, further comprising:  
specifying one of said pictographs of the displayed pictograph mixed  
sentence; determining a specific character string corresponding to said  
specified pictograph; and displaying said specific character string.
3. The method according to claim 2, wherein said displaying  
includes: displaying said pictograph mixed sentence and said specific  
character string at a same time.
4. The method according to claim 2, further comprising:  
inputting a sentence in a transmission mode; converting a specified one of  
character strings of said inputted sentence a specific pictograph  
corresponding to said specified character string, to produce a pictograph  
5 mixed inputted sentence; and displaying said pictograph mixed inputted  
sentence.
5. The method according to claim 4, further comprising:  
transmitting said pictograph mixed inputted sentence in said transmission  
mode.

6. The method according to claim 5, wherein said inputted sentence is a Kana sentence, said method further comprises: converting each of specified ones of Kana character strings of said inputted sentence into Kanji characters in said transmission mode.